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| In re Application of            | : | DECISION ON    |
| OLMAN, A Cheryl et al           | : |                |
| Application No.: 10/030,311     | : |                |
| PCT No.: PCT/US00/11150         | : | PETITION UNDER |
| Int. Filing Date: 25 April 2000 | : |                |
| Priority Date: 28 April 1999    | : |                |
| Attorney Docket No.: 54838US010 | : | 37 CFR 1.182   |
| For: SHALLOW DEPTH BACK LIT     | : |                |
| ILLUMINATED SIGNAGE             | : |                |

This decision is in response to applicants' "Petition Under 1.182- Response To Notification Of defective Response," filed on 30 May 03. The petition fee of \$130.00 has been charged to Deposit Account No. 13-3723 as indicated in the petition.

### **BACKGROUND**

In a decision of this Office on 05 May 2003, the decision stated that declaration of the inventors was not accepted because the name of the first named inventor, Cherly A. OLMAN, did not correspond to that set forth in the international application, which is Cherly A. Vrieze.

On 30 May 2003, petitioner submitted the instant petition, which includes an affidavit in support of the petition to change the name of inventor to Cheryl A. OLMAN.


### **DISCUSSION**


The affidavit submitted by Ms. Olman enumerating the reason for her change of name is sufficient to satisfy the USPTO that Cheryl A. Vrieze (maiden name) changed her name to Cheryl A. Olman (married name).

### **CONCLUSION**

The petition under 37 CFR §1.182 for change of name of inventor is **GRANTED**. The application will be granted a 35 U.S.C. 371 (c) date of **03 June 2002**.

For the reasons above, the application may enter into national stage processing at this time. The application is being returned to the International Division for processing as the U.S. National Stage of the above-identified international application.

  
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